

Michael F. Easley Governor

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EASLEY APPOINTS BULLOCK TO INTERNSHIP COUNCIL

Raleigh - Gov. Mike Easley has appointed Shirley W. Bullock of Raleigh to the North Carolina Internship Council.

Bullock is a former teacher, department chairperson and director of vocational and technical education programs in the Rocky Mount City School System. She served as a vocational administrator for the N.C. Department of Public Instruction and is a recipient of the Long Leaf Pine Award, the highest award given to a civilian. Bullock received her bachelor's of science degree from North Carolina Central University, master's of education degree from East Carolina University and administrative certification from N.C. State University.

The council oversees the state government internship program. There are 17 members on the council, each serving a 2-year term. The governor appoints 14 members.